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OPTICAL WAVEGUIDES

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**AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO
37 CFR § 1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 11, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are included beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.